

# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Title: DATA TRANSMISSION APPARATUS AND METHOD

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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2. ☐ Small Entity Status is hereby asserted.

8. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(if applicable, all necessary)

3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages: 30]  
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- Descriptive title of the Invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
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- a. ☐ Computer Readable Form
- b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
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  - ii. ☐ Paper
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- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets: 9]

- 9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
- 10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee)
  - ☐ Power of Attorney
- 11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
- 12. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
  - ☒ Copies of IDS Citations
- 13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
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- 16. ☐ Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i).  
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- 17. ☐ Other

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6. ☐ Application Data Sheet (see 37 CFR 1.76)

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